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Response and Amendment under 37 CFR § 1.111

This Response is submitted in reply to the Office Action dated March 11, 2005, for which a response is due on or before June 11, 2005.

Applicants thank the Examiner for indicating that claims 6-8 are in condition for allowance.

No fee is believed to be due; however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

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